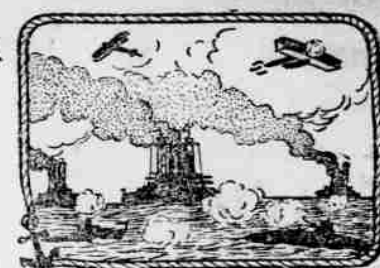




# CAMERA NEWS



OFFICIAL PORTRAIT OF PRESIDENT WILSON

Sir William Orpen, commissioned by the British Government, painting an "official" portrait of President Wilson between Peace Conference Sessions. Sir William has painted the portraits of Lloyd George, M. Clemenceau and Signor Orlando. The President is said to have sat for a fewer number of portraits than any other prominent man of the time. This portrait will become the property of the British Nation.



MOUNT VERNON FROM THE AIR

An airplane view of Mount Vernon, the home of George Washington. The photograph gives an excellent idea of the home's location in the Virginia hills facing the Potomac River.



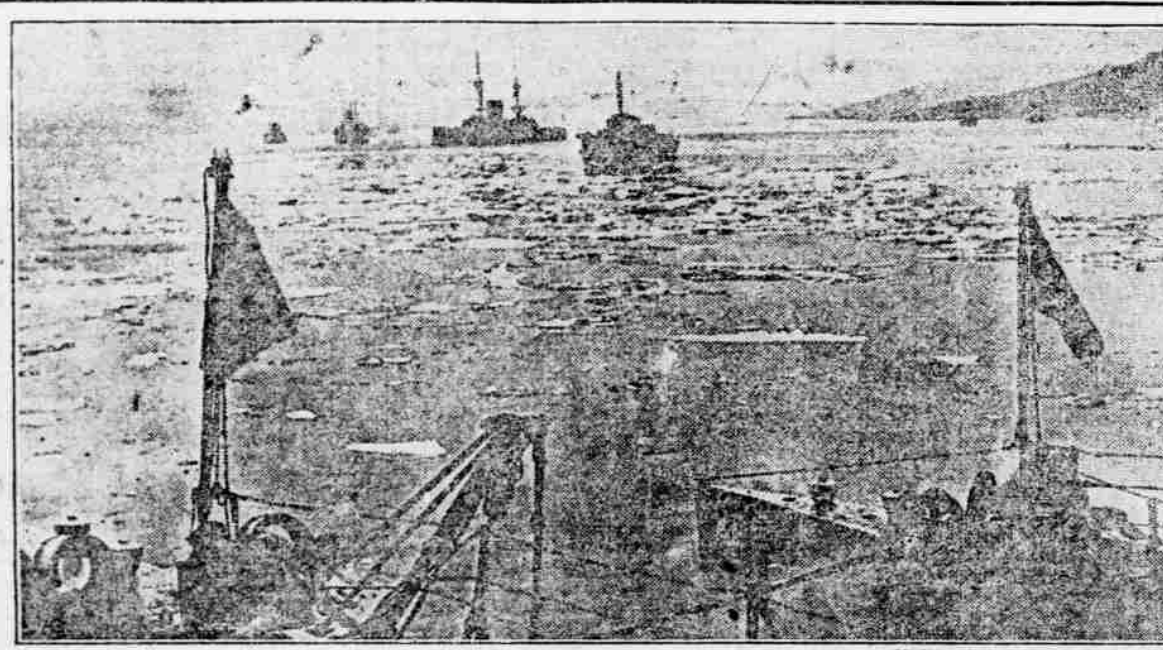
COMMANDER IN CHIEF A. E. F.

General John J. Pershing on his French chestnut thoroughbred, on which he leads the American contingent in the recent Allied Parade held in Paris. He is the dominant figure of the A. E. F. and will soon return to this country—his work finished. According to his friends, he will then ask to be retired, after thirty-three years of service.



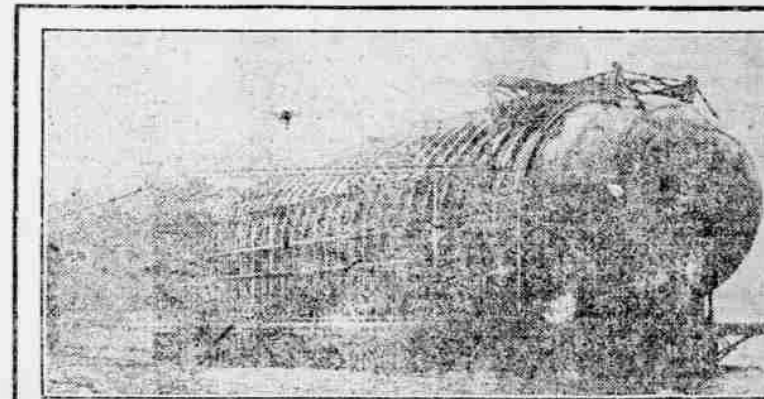
PRINCE OF WALES

The Prince has been calling on some of his tenants in the Duchy of Cornwall. Everyone seems pleased.



AMERICAN WAR VESSELS IN RUSSIAN WATERS

The cruiser Des Moines, assisted by three Eagle boats are the American part of the Allied force which is stationed off the Murman coast awaiting developments in Russia. The ships are fully equipped with rifles, machine guns, hand grenades and trench material should it be necessary to land men for fighting on shore. Our photo shows the vessels in anchor "mid the ice of the White Sea."



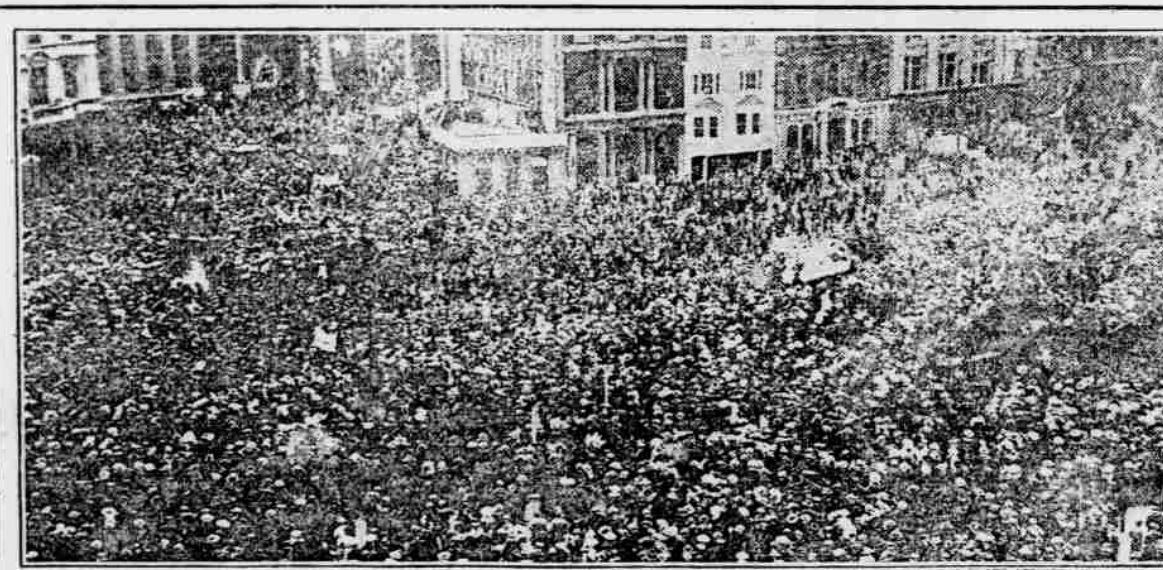
GERMAN SUBMARINE TESTER ARRIVES IN ENGLISH PORT

An ingeniously designed and constructed vessel in the form of a German submarine tester was brought to Harwich, England, recently. Owing to the shallowness of the waters around their coast, the Germans could not test the submarines at sea. Hence the construction by them of the testing dock. In this tester the submarine is towed into the cylinder. It settles on blocks in the cylinder and is then shoved up, and when in position, air pressure corresponding to the required depth of the test, say two hundred feet, is placed on the hull of the sub. Men then descended into the submarine through a connecting tube, and caulk any apparent leaks, while the pressure is on, and when that is completed the submarine is tested, and if satisfactory, ready for sea. The tester is so designed so as to receive three submarines at one time, one for testing, and two being docked for necessary repairs. Seven tugs were necessary to bring the tester to Harwich under the terms of the armistice. Our photo shows front view of the tester.



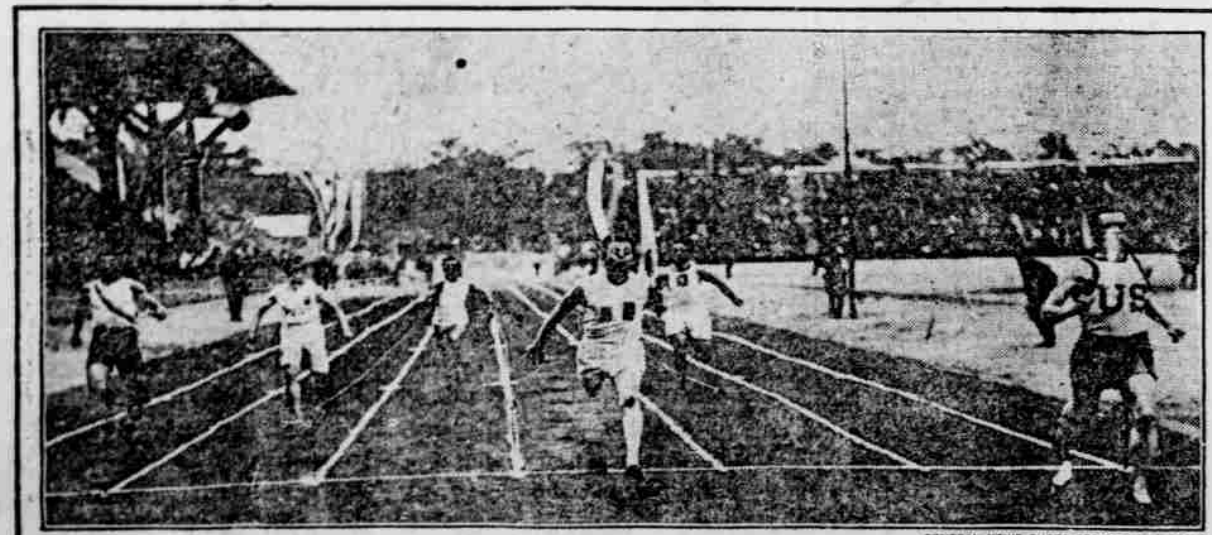
A PICTURESQUE GROUP

The three members of the Abyssinian Mission, accompanied by G. Cornell Tarler, of the State Department and Captain Paul Morrissey, military aid, photographed immediately after their visit to President Wilson to convey their congratulations on the successful conclusion of the war. Left to right: Captain Paul Morrissey, military aid—Kantiba Baron—His Royal Highness Dejazmatch Nado—G. Cornell Tarler, and Ati Herony.



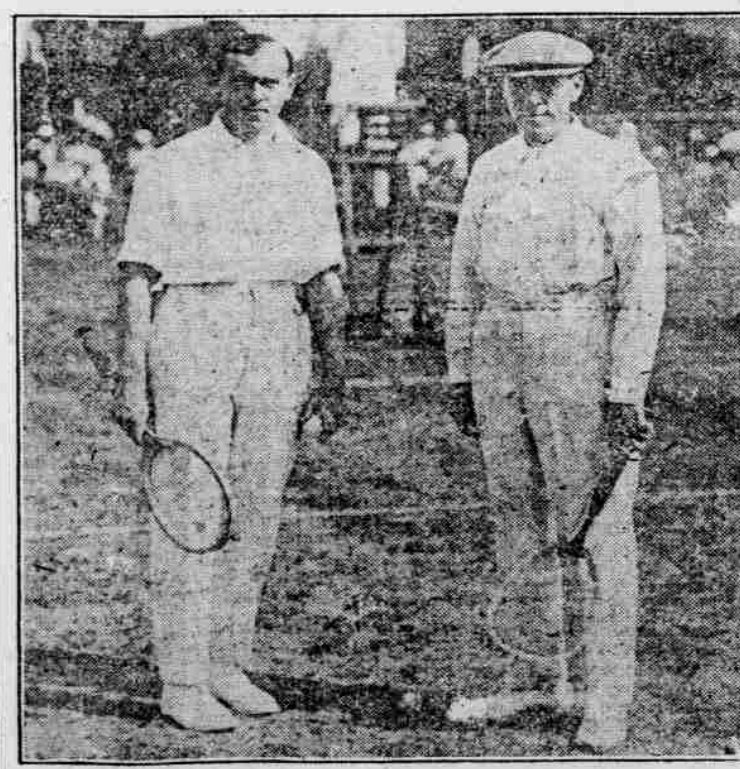
TRAFALGAR SQUARE ON SIGNING OF PEACE TREATY AT VERSAILLES

While the news of the signing of the peace treaty at Versailles was received in America without any show of enthusiasm, in European countries it was just the opposite. Scenes paralleling our own armistice demonstrations were enacted in all the principal cities throughout Europe. Photo shows Trafalgar Square in London, rejoicing at the news that peace was finally signed.



INTER-ALLIED GAMES AT THE PERSHING STADIUM

Finish of the second heat of 100 metre dash won by Teschner (U. S. A.), General Pershing awarded the prizes to the winners of the events won by the Yankee competitors.



TENNIS STARS FROM ANTIPODES

Norman E. Brookes, world's champion tennis player, and Gerald L. Patterson, who will take part in the national doubles championships at Longwood, week of August 11. Practically all the foremost American stars will appear for the first time since the war. Left, Brookes; right, Patterson.



SAMUEL GOMPERS SAILS ON MAURETANIA

Samuel Gompers, sails on the Mauretania. Saying goodbye to friends and relatives. He goes as a representative of the American Federation of Labor, of which he is president, to take part in the international trade union congress July 26th, in Amsterdam.



TOWN HALL, GENEVA

Town hall in city which will be headquarters for League of Nations.